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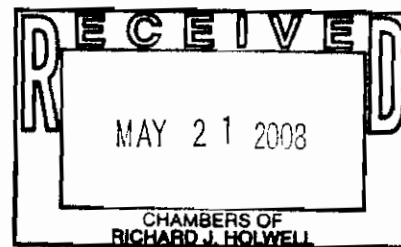
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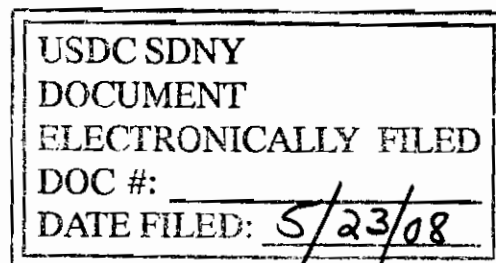
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VIA FACSIMILE

Hon. Richard J. Holwell
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312



Re: United States v. Garri Zhigun; 06 Cr. 1179 (RJH)

Dear Judge Holwell:

I represent Garri Zhigun.

On behalf of my client, I hereby request that the Court grant Mr. Zhigun's application for a modification of his bail conditions to allow him to take his wife Marina out for dinner at Peter Luger's located at 255 Northern Blvd, Great Neck, New York for her 30th birthday on Sunday, May 25, 2008 from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., and 1 hour traveling time each way.

AUSA Jonathan New and United States Pretrial Services Officer Franco Furelli consent to this application.

SO ORDERED
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5/21/08

Respectfully submitted,

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